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This subject Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is submitted in connection with applicants' continuing duty of disclosure under 37 CFR 1.56.

Listing of Relevant Documents

The relevant documents are listed in the attached Form PTO-1449.

Remarks

The listed references were brought to applicants' attention by the attached European Search Report.

U.S. 5,484,620 is the English equivalent of DE 4 125 594, which was brought to applicants' attention by the attached European Search Report.

U.S. 5,094,867 is the English equivalent of DE 40 00 978, which was brought to applicants' attention by the attached European Search Report.

DE 38 18 868 is not available in English, however an English language abstract is supplied herewith which should meet the concise explanation requirement.



EP 1 031 585, which is discussed in the attached European Search Report, is the equivalent of U.S. Serial No. 09/505,768. No copy of a U.S. patent application need be included (37 CFR § 1.98(a)(2)(iii)).

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